Debate followed on the final passage of the bill, during which Mr. Wade stated the population of the proposed territory te be twenty four thousand and rapidly in

On motion of Mr. Powell, the Secretary of war is directed to transmit to the Senate all orders issued from his department or by Generals of the army authorizing any person or persons to take possession of church es or property belonging thereto, how much property, and what kind has been taken possession of &c.

constitution to prevent slavery. Mr. Davis moved the following amend-

ment as a substitute : or grandmother is or was a negro, shall be a citizen of the United States, or cligible to any office, or any place of trust or profit

Adjourned. HOUSE OF ERPRESENTATIVES. The House resumed the consideration of the National Bank bill.

demption was amended so as to include St. Louis, Louisville, Chicago, New Orleans, Cincipnati, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, San Francisco, Detroit, Albanp, Pittsburg, Buffalo, Cleveland, Milwankees and Partland.

Mr. Wilson, of Iswa, moved to make New Yark the only place of redemption. Mr. Stayens moved that the notes of each national resociation shall be received by every other national association at par, as a substitute for Wilson's amendment. Beiroud-54 against 55. Mr. Wil-ou's amendment was rejected-

27 against ba. Mr. Eldridge moved on amendment pro pasing that the notes shall be redeemed in Without further action the committee

rose and the House adjourned. and were Land Washington, April, 4. the flouse went in into committee of the law-abiding, they did not flinch though the worst comes. whole and resumed the consideration of the

Montana territory bill, and asked a comthe territory. It was an amendment difforent from what had bergtofore been inwas to give gentlemen an opportunity to

its disagreement. ter stood, the House has already refused to to consent to the Senate's amendment, and appoint a committee of conference on to-63 against 53.

Sliding Scales of Loyalty.

In 1861, the secesh said that Abraham Lincoln and his party intended to destroy institution of slavery in the States, Lineals and his party denied it and cave the most emphatic assurences that the charge was false. Indeed, it was evidence of distoyalty in Kentucky to make such a

The friends of the Union, in the press

In this way the contest went on in all parts of Kentucky-the triends of the Union defending the President and his party from this charge. It was clear proof that a man was a rebel if he procluimed and undertook to show that the war would

true, and what the friends of the Union said way false. He has given the lie to what the friends of the government said and confirmed what was his enemies said. He cannot escape the charge of apostney from the faith upon which be was supported in Kentucky and by the Union men in the South generally. That he has changed | the contestants. his doctrine and his practice radically, nobody denies, regardless of how it might affect the cause of the covernment.

The partisans of the administration wish of the administration. Two years ago the administration opposed the same measures and their partisans did so in like man-

tices. It was one proof loyalty to defend the administration against the attention of doing what it has since done. It was proof of disloyal v to charge such an intention. The standard of lovalty is changed without notice, and all men are expected to change in conformity with the vaciliating standard

What will be the next standard of lovalty? Must all advocate peace and acknowledgement of the Southern Confeder-

We protest against all these shifts and standard. He who supports it is loyalmone others are.

Lincoln & Co. may apostacise from their faith, once zenlously professed, and may prefer the old standard, that we hope will truly a subject of alarm. In most cases we survive the storms of revolution .- Louis-

and linek.

Kalgatrick's expedition against Rich mond makes the seventh "on" that has been made and proved a failure: 1-Gen. McDowell's movement. 2-Gen. McClellan's

3-Gen. Pope's 4-Gen. Burnside's 5-Gen. Hooker's 6-Gen. Butler's 7-Gen. Kilpatrick's

same time measured swords with the rebel samongst them; and it is those who become goods to customers either by wholesale or Chicago. of war-all the resources of the world on land and water, and all the men and mone woke a fight between Democrats and Re ey that our government could possibly find use for at its band, and stiff the rebel capital stands intact and the rebel armies confront those of the Union within sight of Washington! Why is it?

has so knocked it out of the world of spirits. This is, to him, the best reason we can imagine why he should be so madly opposed to peace.

A healthy old fellow who is not a fool, is the happiest creature living.

## JOLIET SIGNAL.

JOLIET, ILLINOIS. OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY .

Tuesday, April 5, 1864,

Designs of the Abolitionists. "The success of the Democrats would It could not be avoided .- Joliet Republican. the columns of the Republican newspa. interesting and profitable. This enunciation of the designs of our our political opponents in case they should that party.

receive due consideration. 1 318 A 113 so fortunate, or pufortunate, if the results he said." I believe they are worse than traidescribed above follow, as to succeed in tors, and then have no rights which a negro electing Gen. McClellan, "Gen. Grant, or should respect." some other constitutional Union man Pros- What are Democrats to understand from

"necessarily" be the result, if the men who selves for the emergency. When a Gover- when occasion requires.

on which he called the ayes and noes. No ministration, the election of a Democratic particular obligations to obey the law and Bard, they marched through our principal amongst us. The doctrine is here clearly actar altagether. The section designating a places of re- rule, or war must be brought to our doors ited. There is scarcely a day passes with- various military exercises with the skill of headquarters at Nashville.

believing that it would result in war and cans. had ignored their precedents. His object decision of the suffrages of the people for the penalty.

offices, declare that they will secode- against the Democratic party. that "the success of the Democrats would the subject. He moved to lay Mr. Pem- nessarily end in civil war in the North." cleton's motion to reconsider on the table. Traitors to the Union at heart, they will The motion of Mr. Breman was agreed resist with force and arms, if a majority of

change of officers and policy. Well, if war is the alternative, let it come-for the Democrats are cortain to triumph next fall. Therefore, let the Loyal Languere prepare far war.

and on the stump, discredited the charge | an alleged rebellion in Coles county, of a | Andrew : showed that the President and his party character to excite alarm, if the lying pro. Whole number required under the draft pensities of newspaper correspondents had 32,087.

The dispatches from that locality headed | Commuted for \$300 with flaming capitals and containing the | Substitutes wildest reports of a terrible outbreak of the "Copperheads" and their premedita-Now how is it? Honest Old Abraham ted attack upon Charleston, the county sent has proved that what the rebeis said was of that county, were seized upon with avidity by the credulous readers. And many and patriotic devotion, contribute the palsupposed that civil war had actually commenced in Illinois-and that our beautiful prairies would soon be stained with fraternal blood and our homes at the mercy of

Later advices, however, from the seat of Saven men, five soldiers and two citizens, care not which comes out ahead. Lincolo asks men to swear to support were killed, and about a dozen wounded .-what he condemned and repudiated years The soldiers belonged to the 54th regiment, the surgeon of which regiment, Dr.

York, was among the killed. The fight lasted but a few minutes fore order was restored by the efforts of turns. The constitution, with its historical citizens of both political parties. There and political interpretations, is the true was considerable excitement at the time, of course, but it soon died out when the facts

were known. The frequency of these disgraceful afshift standards of loyalty at discretion. We frays between soldiers and citizens, are have no doubt they have been encouraged by the bitterness engendered by the public Seven Times on to Richmond press and Abelition leaders. The Abelition papers, therefore, are responsible for the blood that has been spilled and the

rily dealt with. army of Virginia, was that of General Mc- the tools of Abolitionists when they return, retail on as moderate terms the times Why that movement failed Mo- Patriotic and brave soldiers soom the mis will admit. Clellan's report will answer. Three years erable politicians who are laboring to pro-

publicans at home. of Washington! Why is it?

West, a member of Congress from Missouri, short space of three months—a mortality of the most frightful character. It proves tament that he will not live after the war be had just returned from Richmond, and tament that he will not live after the war be had just returned from Richmond, and the first price were never healthing. is closed. One of his spiritual mediums that Jeff. Davis said "he had information soldiers to the Southern military prisons, discovered that his negro guide had betraywhich was official, that Maximilian was and the record at Rock Island shows that trayed him, and led him toward Googbland the Southern Confederacy by Mexico, among prisoners South and North is the take. The negro was promptly hung for apt to skulk behind consoling the "rebel" Spain, France and probably Austria." result of Lincoln's negro soldier policy. his baseness."

Governor Vates Encourages War at the North.

It seems that our blood thirsty rulers are not eatisfied with the results of their policy as witnessed on the bloody battles fields and general devastations at the South, but are trying to inaugurate civil

in a recent speech is Chicago, that them as he fought traitors, because," as sion.

and fraternal blood must flow in the North out the occurrence of some new outrage veterans.

persisted in by the successful party, they should respect," they have rights under city. At the expiration of the morning hour sperificed their political feelings. Always worshippers will be made to respect, if the

President and his party violated not only | If Governor Yates is determined to pro-Mr. Pendlet n called up his motion to their most sacred pledges, but the consti- voke mobs and war against Democrats, we reconsider the vote by which the House tution itself. And even now, though the opine that he will find he has incited a d surreed to the Senate amendment to the party in power have wantonly forfeited strife that may prove disastrous to himself every claim upon patriotism and duty, the and his political friends. In Illinois, and, amendment striking out the word "white" Democracy are spilling their blood and in fact, in every Northern State, the Demwas to give the negroes the right to vote in and sacrificing their lives to sustain an ocrats are more than a match for the Abo-Administration and a policy which they litton Jacobins. If Yates and his party be exprorated in such bills. Since the Re. believe to be pernicious, content to wait such feels then as to inaugurate civil war rublican party came into power this party until the next election and appeal to the amongst us, let them be prepared to pay

determine whither they were prepared to a redress of grievances-pledging them. Let our just inted Governor as well as eay that negroes should have the same selves to acquiesce in that decision, if Republicans generally, understand that rights in the territories as white men. He made in accordance with the mode prescrib there is a limit to endurance, Retaliatherefore wanted the House to adher; to ed by the constitution. tion is a bitter alternative, but it looks Mich., would not discuss | Our apponents, however, if they do not now as if our opponents were determined the question whether it was expedient that succeed in carrying the election and mo- to force the necessity upon us. Let them negroes should vote or not, but as the mat- nopolizing the Government patronage and beware how they kindle the flame of war

> 'Swarms' from Massachusetts. Carolina-has done more to participate the the people should declare in favor of a country into its present horrors than Massachusetts, and no State enlisted under the banner of the Union has done less towards averting the consequences so wantonly and

persistently provoked by that State. With the patriotic bluster of Massachusetts the country has long been familiar. The Coles County Troubles. Her patriotic practices may be inferred For the last week the Chicago dailies from the following returns of the late draft, following upon the battle of Williamsburg; ner McHenry Bayou. have been filled with statements regarding compiled from the recent message of Gov. Mr. Lovejoy, of Illinois, offered the follows

> Exempted for cause shown Failed to report

achusetts, the bright exempler of loyalty try number 743 recruits.

contestant with Hon, J. O. Norton for the sacrifice of human life. Republican nomination for Congressman war, dispelled the fears in this respect in a endeavoring to pursuade his Abolition committee. the unfortunate affair was nothing but a stand that he is after Mr. Norton with a viva voce. ling a citizen, who resented it, and each unless the friends of Jesse bestir themselves imquely. being reinforced by their friends, the affair | be will keep it. As for ourselves, we look

kill the ship can'll project than any of its be closed for several days vet. open opponents. We shall have no ship canal until we send a different class of

DEATH OF REBEL PRISONERS .- Over one thousand of the rebel prisoners confined in the barracks at Rock Island have died Yest, a member of Congress from Missouri, short space of three months—a mortality of stroying barns, forage and everything the 14th, having marched 170 miles in five en route to accept the throne of Mexico, the rebel prisoners fare but little better up which would result in the recognition of here. All this suffering, misery and death

The Fenians of Joliet.

There is a branch of the Fapian organization in this city, said to number about two bundred, and the association is pros periog finely. Meetings are held weekly, day. and the members are initiated loto the regular drill service. We have not had the menacing our advance at Ringgold, but no a piece of spite in return for his showing war amongst the loyal people of the privilege of a look into one of their meetings, but judging from the character of those cavalry at Tunnel Hill The main body of necessarily end in civil war in the North. As a proof of this, we need but refer to who attend them, the proceedings must be his forces is still at Dalton.

pers, and to the speeches of the leaders of The objects of the Renjan organization complishing the freedom and independence what they must expect should they be ored him none, and he intended to fight long under the beel of British oppres- ajack Gap, six miles below here.

Certain it is that the Fenians of this city are putting forth the most laudable efforts. There is a very small rebel force of inin behalf of the cause dear to every true fantry north of Dalton.

have grown rich on Government offices and nor, who has taken a solemn outh to sur- The 28th inst., was fixed upon by them That no negro, or person whose mother | favors be lawfully displaced. | port the laws and constitution of his state, for their public parade and ball. At 3 is correct. laid down that Abraham Lincoln and his The fruits of the teachings of Governor d florent printing offices. Under command ble to accommodate them. swarm of greedy minions most continue to Yates and his party are being daily exhib-

against Democrats by furloughed soldiers. In the escaling, the grand ball come off How different the course indicated above or their more crafty coadjutors-the mem- at Young's Hall. Over three hundred tickfrom the action of the Northern Democracy bers of the durk lantern League associa- ets were sold. The affair was a success in when the Republican party triumphed in tion, At Charleston, in this state, the every respect. The large hall was scarce-1861? Though they were strenuously other day, was witnessed the results of ly sufficient to accommodate the assemopposed to the election of Mr. Lincoln- this war at home policy of the Republi- blage. Indeed it was the greatest ball ever before seen in Joliet. Strict order prevailperhaps dissolution, yet they acquiesced in Now we have always advocated obedi- ed, notwithstanding the largeness of the the verdict of the people as rendered ence to law, and shall continue to do so, crowd, and everything was conducted by through the ballot-box. And after their but in seber truth, is it not about time our the managers in the most appropriate manworst apprehensions were realized and Abelition opponents be informed in regard ner. The supper, which had been preparwar with its fearful calamities befel our to the condition of affairs? It is time ed by the ladies, we are told, was excellent nation, notwithstanding they honestly be- that they should be informed that if Dem- and ample. Well may the Fenians feel lieved the evil was the result of the policy orrate have "no rights which a negro proud of this their first public doings in the

parts of the country. For the last twenty-five years, Mr. Love-

of our cotemporaries in their tributes to the memory of the deceased, so far as his talents and position demand, at the same time No State in the Union-not even South | we must accompany such an expression ions. We regret the death of the crater its chief supports.

ing resolutions: Resolved, That it is with feelings of devout gratitude to Almighty God that the There are no fortifications at Alexandria. 3,044 time hear of the triumphs of the Union 3.622 army in the great struggle for the suprem

sey of the constitution and the integrity of 753 the Union. Resolved. That we receive with profound Thus out of a call for 32,087 men, Mass- | tories achieved by the armies of the Potos mac, associated from their localities with these of the revolution and that the sincere thanks of this House are hereby tendered to Major General George B. McClellan for IN THE FIELD -Hon. B.-C. Cook, the secure important results with but little

Thereupon, Mr. Conklin moved that the

measure. It turns out, according to the friends to send delegates in his favor. He Mr. Cox expressed a hope that they now to condemo all as disloyal who do not statements of men of both political parties | made a speech in this city on last Friday | would be passed unanimously, on the sput, states; support the present doctrines and measures who have visited the scene of troubles, that evening, and gave his audience to under and without objection they were so passed, There is quite an excitement there, con

fight between thirty or forty soldiers and "sharp stick" His speech was rather out. The question may well arise, in what perhaps that number of citizens, resulting of date; but, at all events, it was as good way, by any subsequent conduct of his At that time they were all disloyal praction a too free use of intoxicating liquors, as Norton could make From present in own, Gen. McCiellan forfeited the high The conflict commenced by a soldier jost- dications Cook has the inside track, and opinion then expressed by the House unap-

that nothing will be done by the present and dollars worth of admission tickets had been too busily engaged attending to the proceeds will not fall far short of two buninterests of the negro and getting their dred thousand dollars. As an evidence of relatives and friends appointed to office, to the depth and earnestness of the feeling attend to this great work or any other in this country in favor of the liberation of matter of interest to their constituents .- Ireland, the success of this Fair is a fact of Arnold, particularly, has done more to great significance. The exhibition will not

A HEAVY ESTABLISHMENT .- Our readers | under the style of Fox & Milier, the busis will bear in mind that the largest stock of ness of the establishment will be continued wrongs that have been perpetrated in the groceries and provisions in this part of as usual at the old stand of Mr. Fox .-Northern States. And we contend that the country can be found at Casey & Akers' Therefore, persons wishing anything in the those who have been guilty of stirring up at the old store of S. W. Stone, on Jeffere line of bats for ladies, bats and cans for bad blood between citizens and soldiers, son street. Their assortment of goods men and boys, stationery, books, jewelry. under whatever pretext, should be summa | embraces everything usually found in gro. | wall paper, or almost any article needful cary and provision store -and more besides or ornamental, should call at the store of As a general thing, soldiers are law- -in fact everything needed by house Fox & Miller, where they will be accom- Orleans from Alexandria 122 bales of cot-The only me of these movements that abiding, but there are a few reckless ones keepers. They are prepared to furnish modated at prices as low as can be had in ton and 300 rebel prisoners including 25

> Philadelphia Inquirer, (Rep) : instead of to Richmond and on Tuesday morning he found himself miles in just the opposite direction from that he wished to

FROM GEORGIA.

Chattanonga, April, 1. Gen Sherman laft here this morning for Nashville.

collision is expected.

The enemy have but three brigades of cavalry at Tunnel Hill The main body of By order of Proquet Marshal General By order of Proquet Marshal General Chattannoga, April 2

augmented within a few days, and now are noble and patriotic. And time will amounts to about 5,000 men, being enfail to carry the election next fall, should | For instance, Governor Yates declared, tell whether it shall be the means of ac- camped in the valley at the foot of Rocky Democrats are here made to understand "He believed the opposition party fav- of the historic country that has been so There is also a considerable force at Nick." Their picket line is within a mile of ours, but no diposition is shown by either | 1 483-total, 4,492.

this? I it not a threat against them? - Irishman's heart. Their contrabutions to There is no reason to believe that John-against the joint resolution to amend the dire, and appolling consequences, must would take warning and prepare them- been liberal, and they are ready to do more are no indications that he intends to as-Nothwithstanding contrary reports, the estimate of 35,000 of Johnston's command

From Cairo.

Cairo, April 1. Information received this morning from leadouniters Department of the Guif, New Orleans, Murch 24th, says: "A reconneissance under Gen. Mower oushed as far as Natchitoches, on the 21st. hey met the enemy in full force, turned their flank, and captured 4 pieces of artillery with caissons, and 200 prisoners -Natchitoches is above Alexandria six miles west of the Red River.

"Latest reports say a battle occurred 21 miles beyond Alexandria, on Bayon Rapids, and a large number of horses and mules captured. The only easuality on the Federal side is the reported wounding of Col. Hornce B. Sargent, of Gen. Banks' staff, in leg severely but not dangerously. The rees engaged were a part of Gen. Smith's

infantry and Gen. Lee's cavalry." The weather is severaly cold, with rain, ail, and sleet. Jas. Gallagher, Government Aid, arrived his morning, on the steamer Dickey, from

7 miles below Memphis. Judge Dent, Gen. Grant's brother-in-law, who was trying to carry on a plantation, Lieut Mitchel says government plantaparty. He was a man of eminent abil tions cannot be cultivated on account of guerrillas

The rebels made another raid on Skipwas mainly through his efforts that the old | with on the 27th, and carried off what litbeen a member of Congress seven years been in Hickman last night, but did not 2,500 of Forrest's men are said to have

triet that embraces this county. His re- The Sultana arrived this morning, from mains were conveyed to Princeton for in New Grieans the 25th, with 403 binds sugar, 172 men, and 17 officers of the 60th Lodiana The True Delta savs : "Indianola was evacuated the morning

of the 92th With the troops several Ger man families left. Gens. McCleroand and Dans did all they could for them. The troops, under Gen. Fitz Hepry Warren with a firm dissent from his political opin- | t ox the land route, crossing bayous on pontson ferries. 22 men and 2 officers of of the 69th Indiana, 2 men of the 7th Michtionism and negro couglity has lost one of led by the swamping of the boats in Mc Henry Bayon, crossing from Bayens to Gen. McClernand has gone down the coast | captured four pieces of artillery with casto visit Arkansas Pass and Brownsville, sions, and 200 prisoners." with his headquarters on Matagorda

United States, May 9, 1862, immediately Gen. Dans, with the 1st division, remains Your carrespondent, writing from Alex-

ander, La , the 25th, savr : "Gen. Banks and staff came yesterday. The expedition starts for Shreveport to-day. Gap. Stacle is within 26 hours, and Gan. McMulleo, of Banks' department, is near Outchidocpes. The rebels had obstructed the river below Fort de Russy with piles and drift, but the gunboats Eastport and Gen. Price cleared it away. 'Admiral Porter has seized 6,000 bale

From New York

New York, April 1. 'The hasty departure of the double-turreted Monitor Onondaga, is in consequence of a report to the paval authorities that the of this district, is stumping the district, resolutions be referred to the military Hampton Roads. It is also reported that the rebel iron clads in North Carolina will ale make a simultaneous appearance.

missioner Ould, on a visit to Gen. Butler, relative to an exchange of prisoners. Ould la far the few days past and would leave on has brought an immense number of books, the 26th for the Texas coast, papers, etc., and it is expected his stay will est a work.

The Baltimore correspondent of the World says : That the rebels will abandon the defen- there.

New York, April 1. evacuated Indiaola, on the march, seven

In crossing bayous 34 men were drowned by the swamping of portoons. The belonged to the 69th Indiana and 4th Michigan Battery. Gen. McClernand had gone down the coast to visit Arkansas Pass and Brownsa

New York, April I. The President has commuted the sentence of the two men Hendricks and Pollard, condemned to be hung to day, to imprisonment for life. Marebal Mamon bad previously declined to hang them, assum- Indianapolis, asking his influence with the ing the ground that it was not his duty to do so, the recent act of Congress having ter say they see their folly and now desire deprived him of the custody of the jail, and placed that institution under the charge of a warden independent of his (Lamon's)

New York, April 3. The steamer Columbia has arrived, from New Orleans the 24th. Our army was still pushing up Red River.

example, and the inhabitants destroy all Camden Gen. Gano has seven or eight private cotton to prevent its falling into thousand Texans at Tannersport. Mar-Among the prisoners is Gen. Taylor's Chief of Staff.

Gen. Banks' forces, reached Alexandria on

widows.

St Louis, March 31. Mai Bond, Rosecrap's Chief Aid, has re-The 65th Illinois, veterans, arrived to report here under arrest. The order is considered as wholly unjustifiable, and simed There is a rumor that the rebels are at the General by Stanton and Halleck as

are as follows: 1st district, 47; 23, 109; 3d, 257; 4th,69; 5th, 672: 6th, 1.000; 6th, 77; 8th, 775; 9th, Reliable reports received at the Provest

more in circulation that rebal bonds are inauthorities.

ebal General's office paroles shall be extended to rebel officere cers in the field than the Commanding now in trison.

Lieut, Hine, just relieved from duty in | dom regarded. he Provost Marshal General's office, has Grant is expected, to morrow, to return been ordered under arrest, to answer char- from Fort Monroe. ges against bim. The General commanding the department has given instructions to the Provest Mars shal General that citizens may retain hyr-

as substitutes for others taken away by Permits have been granted to Capt. Dyer, the capitol building, which had been fitted Quartermaster of this Department, for three up for a court room, was destroyed by fire. or four negro families at Pilot Knob to be | Some valuable papers in very important taken to his farm in Illinois, the men be- law cases were burned. ing too old for service.

ses left in their passession by the rebels

St Louis March 31. The Propost Marshal General has ordered the seizure of Pollard's Southern Histor ry of the War, the Confederate official re- are being worked under a new manageports of the life of Stonewall Jackson, Life | ment." of Morgan and his Men, and all publications based upon rebel information circulating as for sale in this department. The steamer Florence, sunk in the Missouri River on Monday, was valued at \$50. 000 : insured for \$28 000. She was laden

with bacon, hemp and grain, most of which About two hundred wagons leave St. Joseph daily for Idaho. The Democrat's Cairo special dispatch Prisoners state that the main body of

Forret's force was ordered to Jackson, The troops sent to Paducah have returned. Cal Kicks having sufficient to repulse any attack. During the fight at Paducah the rebels to Mrs. Hammond from the hospital and murdered her. Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Egan, and Mrs. Mc-Chery were also taken and sent to the front between the two fires, and kept there an hour. Their dresses were perforated by balls. While the rebel flag of truce was

moving forward they disposed their forces for action. Our men had ceased firing for fear of the women being killed. A man was arrested on the steamer freshly taken scalp of a - white man, su; - | in charge of Capt. Wins, left her yesterd by

Several persons were arrested as spies, among them two women." New Orleans papers of the 23d contain no

St. Louis, March 31. The New Orleans Delta of the 23d Official information was received this morning that a reconnaisance, under Gen. igan Battery, and 8 of the 24 Engineer Mower, was made to Natchidoches, 75 miles Corps d' Afrique and 2 horses were drown- above Alexander, on the 21st where the enemy were met in some force. A fight ensued, in which we tured the rebel's flank,

From New Orleans

New York, April 1. The steamship Cabawba, from New Oreans the 24th, has arrived here. Franklin, La., has been evacuated, and The New Orleans Era says:

"On the 21st, Gen Mower made a reconnoisance up Red River to Natchidoches. sixty miles above Alexandria, outflanked the rebel force, and captured two hundred prisoners and four cannon. Refugees from man of modern times. The immense vathere state that a large quantity of cotton, etc. remain on plantations in that vicini- identity of the results.

Gen. Franklin's column has passed through Opelousas. Gen, Banks has issued an order estabishing a beaureau for the instruction of

The capture of Natchidoches had a depressing effect on the cotton market, and considerable receipts are expected from that region.

New York, April 1. The steamer Yazoo has arrived, from New Orleans the 24th. Gen. Banks started from the front on the Admiral Farragut had been at Pensaco-

Operations at Fort Powell, near Mobile, are suspedended for the present. Two Paymasters had left New Orleans for Matagorda to pay the western troops

Gov. Yates, of Illinois, was in New Or-The health of the city and troops good. Negro public schools in New Orleans are making rapid progress. Gold 1631 (@1631.

Cotton: Sales of low middling French war steamers were daily expected at the mouth of the Rio Grande, at ats | fact :tack Matamoras. Cortinas was levying heavy contributions on the people of the city, and proclaims his intention of taking the field against the invaders. The people were shipping their cotton on foreign ves. sels as fast as possible, to get it out of the way of the French

The Fort De Russy prisoners, 319 in all. had reached New Orleans, Gav. Hahn bad received a letter from 250 Louisiana prisoners at Camp Morton, President to secure their release. The let- here." to make Louisiana a free State.

From Fort Smith, Ark.

Fort Smith, Ark., March 30. About 10,000 effective troops have gone south from this district. The whole number in this department under Gen. Steele. now moving southward, is from 30,000 to 35,000, sufficient to overpower any repel force opposed to them. A scout from Price's army reports Cabell's command of seven or eight regiments fifteen miles this side of Washington, the Missouri troops being moved to

The rebels are well supplied with clothing, and an importation of shoes from The 83 Onio Infantry, the advance of England is said to have just reached A large number of negroes have been concentrated at Camden and Washing-

> Quantrell is south of Red River. Gov. Edwarde, of the Choctaw Nation, issued a proclamation urging the Indians of that tribe to return to their allegiance

FROM WASHINGTON.

Washington, April 3. Both the Senate and House Committee on Foreign Affairs have had under consideration for some time the subject of Mexico, but have refrained from taking any action thereupon at the special instance of Secretary Saward, This distinguished function, it appears, informed the commit-By order of Proquet Marshal General Sanderson, Capt. Tallon, U. S. Police, is perations and negotiations with the French government. The House Committee, how some the expense and recommend an assessment for covering the expense and recommend and assessment for covering the expense and recommen Negro enlistments in Missouri to date, the same effect, which he will shortly bring before the Senate, sustaining them with a

The House Committee on Military Affairs have matured a bill called for by the War Department consolidating all old regi Marshal General's office contradict the ru- ments of artillery into a corps to be commanded by a Major General, who is also festing the counties of Ralls and Monroe, command all the artillery forces of the United States. Gen. Grant is understood

There were quite a number of Major Sergt, H. B. Sayers, 9th Minuesota, has and Brigadier Generals hung up in the exbeen detailed for duty in the Provost Mar- | ecutive session of Friday last. Certain Senators seem to know, judging from their The Secretary of War has ordered that no language, in re about qualifications of offi-General, for his recommendations are

It is said that Gen. Smith supersades

From New Mexico.

Denver City, March 31. Santa Fe papers of the 19th are receive ed. On the night of the 14th, one wing of

The Gazette says: "Letters received by the last mail speak encouragingly of the Arizona gold mines. The placer gold mines near Santa Fe Another fight is reported to have taken

place in Southern New Mexico between the troops and Anache Indians. Forty of the latter were killed. Maj. McFerrin, Chief of Staff of Gen. Carleton, arrived from New Mexico, reports the unconditional surrender of the entire Navajo nation to Gen. Carlton, numbering nearly six thousand Indians who are being collected at Fort Sumper, New Mexico. Some of them have large flocks, but the majority are in a destitute condition and have to be fed by the govern. ment. To do this Gen. Carleton has been obliged to put the troops on half rations -Great credit is due to Col, Kit Carson and Capt. N. B Curry in this campaign .-They, with Carson's regiment, peneurated to the secret haunts of the Indians, never before reached by white men. Col. Car-

and are already sowing wheat and preparing to raise their own supplies.

son is to have charge of the Indians until

rean. The Navajoes are semi-civil zet,

they are turned over to the lodian Bo-

From Fortress Monroe. Fort Monroe, March 29. The U. S. steamer Commedore Barney, Anderson, baving in his possession a with 56 picked men from the Homesota, posed to belonged to one of our sel- P. M., proceeded up the Chuckstock Cre k and landed the men in the small the head of the creek.

> officers taken prisoners were in the rebel rignal service, and of higher rank than appears above. The schooner Lydia Ann. Capt. Overton,

was lost at sea on the 22d of March. Her erew picket up by the schooner Maria The rebel Commissioners of Exchange, of Richmond, arrived here this morning,

on the fing of truce boat. The New Nation.

Te New Nation, the New York organ of the friends of General Fremont, is an able the government stores removed to Brashear and spicy paper. It thus speaks of our military performances for the last few "Change of base, masterly retreats and

reconnoissences have succeed each other with a rapidity worth of the greatest showriety of circum-tances only equaled by the We have: Sherman's reconnaissance. Smith's reconnuissance. Thomas' reconncissance.

Kilnatrick's recompaissance. Costar's recondulation. Seymour's recompaissance, Gluore's Charleston reconnoteance: "The result is every-where the same,

ridiculous and disastrons." Agam, addressing Mr. Lincoln, the New Nation savs: "We have been imposed upon long enegh. The rain which you have been un able to accomplish in four years, would certainly be fully consummated were you to remain in power four years longer -Your Military Governors and their Provost Marshals override the laws and the echo of the armed heel rings forth as olear

le now in America as France or Austria. You have both." Even Mr. Nation, if we had purchase victory by destroying liberty, it would have been the sacrifice of a precious jewel

n order to obtain a worthless casket. Reviews and Balls. Gen. Grant, it would seem, is opposed to dress parades and dancing parties in the face of the enemy. The Washington correspondent of the New York World

relates an incident showing forth this

"The following conversation took place at Willard's to-day, between the General and a lady stopping at the botel : Lady-"General, take me with you to the review to-morrow?" Grant- 'Madame, I cannot allow review; I have sent to the front to say

Lady-"Well, I will go to the ball nex week. Grant-"There will be no more balls; they wouldn't have had any if I had been

2 VIOLENCE TO

The negro equality doctrines are fast becoming a cardinal feature of the tute the essence of citizenship. When they show themselves worthy of these, the strong reaction in their favor, which is al. strong reaction in their favor, which is all test A kamily having Machine. Our family Sewing strong reaction in their favor, which is all test A kamily having Machines. Our family Sewing Machines are finished in chaste end exquisitestyle. The Folding Case of the Family Machine is a piece receive the additional impetus: and then

this leads to. Mr. Lincoln's amnesty proclama-

Baper in Richmond, and the Enquirer, Jeff Send for a Panellar. Davis' organ, says: "It was exactly the tind of proclamation we wanted Mr. Lincoin to make."

One of the sposters found hanging by its years by associating with the most accura- en inches out of his mouth, and frozen ed for that ever poluted their country.

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Commissioners Notice.

Administrator's Sale. Di virtue of a decretif order of the County Court of Will County in the State of Hilmois, made and entered of record by said count at the March term thereof. A. B. 1856, at the petition of the indersigned, against the awdow and heirs at law of Nichelas Baker late of said county, deceased, I shall on the 17th Cay of May next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the formoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day at the front door of Daniel Shafer's Hotel in Money, and county, preceded to said county. day at the front door of Banich Shafer's Hotel in Mo-nec, in said county, preced to sell at the right, title and interest of the estate of said Nicholas Baker, de-ceased, in and to the south west quarter of the north west quarter and the nouth east quarter of the north west quarter of Section fourteen (14) in Township thirty-four (34) North and of Range thirteen (13) East of the third principal muridian, situate in Will Coun-ty in said State, and also the west ten (10) acres of the south twenty (20) acres of the east half of the south west quarter of Section thirty-one (31), in Township thirty-five (35) North and of Range thirteen (13) East of said maridian, situate in Cook County in said State.

equal annual payments, with interest thereon at six per cent, per annum payable annually, and secured to be paid by the notes of the purchaser and mortrage on the premises purchased at said sale, for, the pur-pose of paying the debts of said estate of said decessed

on the premises you possed on the premises of sold estate of and costs of administration thereof.

JOHN SCHEIDT, Administrator of the estate of Nicholas Baker, dec'ds n42-50

Administrator's Sale. D'virtue of a decretal order of the County Court of Will County in the State of Illinois, made and entered of record by said count at the March term there of A. D. 1866, at the petition of the undersigned, against the heirs at law of John Dutton Late of said county deceased, and Almon A. Manson, I shall on the 17th, day of May mat, between the hrumoften o'clock in the farencoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at the front door of Daniel Shafer's Hotel is Monee in said County, proceed to sell all the fight, title and interest of the estate of the said John Dutton, deceased, in and to the following described real estate situate in said County of Will and State of Dution, deceased, in and to the following described real estate situate in said County of Will and State of Hiliacks, to-wit Lots thirty-four (34); thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36), in the Village of Mones, containing one fifth part of an acre of land each more or less and beging part of the north east quarter of the south west quarter of Section twenty one (21) in Township thirty-four (34) North and of Kange thirteen (13) Rast of the third principal meridian, and also Lot number himsteen (19), in that part of the Village of Mones aforceaid, which was subdivided by Nicholas S. Chester and known as Chester's Addition to Mones, containing about one serie and three-fourths of an acre of land, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of caving the debts of said estate of said depurpose of paying the debts of said estate of said de-cuased, and costs, fadministration thereof.

OLIVER P. PHILLIPS, Administrator of the R. E. Barner. Sol. estate of John Dutton, decid. Jotiet, March 23, 1864.

TAX SALE NOTICE. TOTICE is hereby given that at a sale of Lands and Lots for taxes for the year 1862, held at the Court once in Jolies. Will county, Illinoin, on the 22d day June, 1863, the undersigned purchased Lot No. 7 in act 23 South Lockportan said county and State, and hat the time of redemption areas.
In two years from the date aforesaid.
N. S. RAPPERTY.

MAGNETIC DOCTRESS

Miss Tennessee Claflin

AND GREAT

CLAIRVOYANT PHYSICIAN. Who has so astonished the people through her wood erful cures, and mysterious revelations during her fravels in the United states, has been traveling for the They took a guide to the headquarters of Lieutenant Roy, where they arrived at 4 o,clock this morning, when they immediately surrounded the houses and captured 2 sergeants and 18 privates with their 2 sergeants and 18 privates with their of so much importance that people from every walk of tife come to consult her. Her skill and powers of mind are so great, there seems to be no disease but bs, and other complaints of long siands has performed astonishing cures upon those who have

ong since less their SIGHT AND HEARING, SIGHT AND HEARING,
or nearly so, by disease. All forms of Female Complaints attended to with great success. During her
travels she has cound hundreds who were on the verge
of the grave, who are new living and enjoying good
her did through her skill and successful treatment—
attributory references will be cheerfully given when
required. She will guarantee to make pegmanent cures
all eners she undertakes. Her examinations are
gith so much esticfaction as to merit and receive the
confinence of all who consult her. She answers lettors pertaining to life and health, with great satisfaction, and all who cannot consult her in person, will tion, and all who cannot consult, with great satisfac-tion, and all who cannot consult her in person, will please give a sintessent of their case and alreading for her lowestigation and it required, medicine will be such by express without design. Lawyers, Dectors, Ministers, and many other scien-Lowyers, Dectors, Ministers, and many other scien-ific men, have consulted her upon matters of high im-

She has establishe for INFIRMARY at the Fox River House, in Ottawa, Illinois, where she may be consulted upon all matters perfain-ing to Life. Health, and discuss of the human system. 6. All who wish to trut the skill and portiod, should call immediately. March 15, 1854. Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

BY mutual understanding and agreement between he understand, the Co-Partners, in heretofore existp between them has been displaced, and M. H. Hall. Il conting business at their old stand in Julet.

B. H. HALL.

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The legal voters of the Town of Joliet, in the County of Will and State of Hilmole, are hereby notified that the annual Town meeting for said town with by held at the Court House, on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1864, being the first Tuday in said month, for the purpose among other things of electing the following officers; Sapervisor, Assistant Supervisor, Supervisor, Supervisor, Supervisor, Supervisor, Assistant Supervisor, Assista

SUGAR CANE SEED!

the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be kept open until 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

(Fiven under my hand at Jollet, this 19th day of W. H. ZARLEY, Town Clerk. THE CO-PARTNERSHIP etofore existing under the firm name of Ramsdell

Joliet, March 19, 1864.

fast becoming a cardinal feature of the Administration programme. A Philadelphia paper says:

None, but the baser sort of people would wish the colored, race to live among use either as slaves or degraded freedmen; for degraded they must be if entirely deprived of those political privileges which constitute the baser sort of people would wish the colored, race to live among use either as slaves or degraded freedmen; for degraded they must be if entirely deprived for great and recent improvements make our family Sewing Machine most certain in action at all rates of of those political privileges which constitute the best and chespest and most beautiful of all Family Sewing Machines has so many useful appliance for Herming, Binding, Rubing, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine in Sewing Mac we may reasonably expect to see such a measure of justice and compensation as shall atone for the wrongs which have heretofore been inflicted."

The coming work manship of the mine the seems had a been to be operated may be opened as a specious and substantial table to sustain the work. While some of the Cases, made out of the choicest woods, are finished in the simplest and chost set miner possible, others are adorned and cinbellished in the most costly and superb manner. It needs no prophet to foretell what all the best but it is necessary to see the Family Machine in operation, so as to judge of its great capacity and beauty.

It is fast becoming as popular for family

AN CHICAGO OFFICE, 50 CLARK ST.

JAMES JOHONNET, Agent & Joliet. Nov. 3, 1863.

claws to the limb of a tree at New Albany 20 blds HOWK & HYDE and NORTON & QO' Indiana, had his last crow sticking elec-

The calvary force of the enemy has been idge, from Tunnel Hill to Varness Station and Red Clay, which they hold. There

party to crowd.

According to this Republican authority, encourages mob violence in the marner o'clock they came out of their half on Joliet | Over 900 rebel deserters came into Chatwhich is but the echo of the Chicago Tri Governor Yetes has above, what are we to street, formed in military order, after tanonga during the month of March. The or military office under the United States; bune, the particular pet organ of the Ad- expect from his minious who are under no which, accompanied by the J liet Cornet receipts have failed some for few days President would inaugurate civil war many of them divested of honer and char- streets, not forgetting to pay their respects rebel deserters are many of them divested of honer and charto Mayor Porter, Col Bartleson, and the way of Nashville, the railroads being una General Sherman, having completed his

submitted to the lawful authority and the constitution and laws which negro Death Of Hon. Owen Lovejoy. The death of this prominent politician, which took place at the house of a relative in Brooklyn, on the night of the 25th ult. has been the occasion of many demonstra- Vicksburg, says the small propeller Columtion of respect for the deceased in different bia was burned by guerrilas near Austion,

> joy was notorious throughout the West as | was captured, and sent to Richmond. the principal leader of the radical Abolita ity-and on the stump had few equals. It Whig party become Abolitionized. He has the they left before. during six of which he represented the dis- trouble passing boats,

and men of talents, but we must say that we cannot griave that the cause of Abeli-General McClellan in 1862. In the House of Representatives of the

House of Representatives, from time to satisfaction intelligence of the recent viccotton."

THE IRISH NATIONAL FAIR .- The Fair soon assumed rather alarming proportions, upon this contest between Cook and Nor- for the benifit of the establishment of the Pistols and muskets were used freely.— ton as a sort of "crow eat crow" affair, and nationality of Ireland has been in progress at Chicago during the past week, and his, and the other stike for Cincinnation THE SHIP CANAL .- It is now apparent proves a great success. Over fifty thousand Congress for this important measure. The been seld, while the display of goods is Congressmen from this section of the unparalleld by any exhibition of the sort of their houses with them. State, Mesers Norton and Arnold, have ever witnessed in this country. The net

> New FIRM .- Mr. O. Fox having formed a copartnership with Mr. John S. Miller, formerly of the firm of Ramsdell & Miller,

General Kilpatrick to take Richmond, the troying property the troops now follow the The Richmond Whig gives a report since their arrival there. This is at the pilot him to Richmond. The detachment from a Selma paper which states that Mr. rate of about one mac out of seven in the had rapidly moved across the country, de-

mischief is attributed to the treachery of a example, and the inhabitants destroy all negro guide, Says a correspondent to the "Colnel Dahlgreen had taken a negro to

rebel iron-clads at Newport News and A Fortress Monroe letter to the Herald sequent upon the arrival of the rebel Com | 224.

sive and assume the invasive policy this apring. The invasion will be made in two leans. columns-one under Lee, into Pennsylva-Later Texas news says when our troops families left with them, taking the lumber

officers captured, on the 21st, twenty-eight milies back of Alexandria. In accounting for the faiture of The gunbouts having commenced des-

> Middling Cotton 70c. Gold 1624c. Beo. Butler says he wants no more to the government, and repossess them- claws to the limb of a tree at New Albany chaplains in the army. He says they are selves of what they have lost the prest three Indiana, had his last crow sticking elev-